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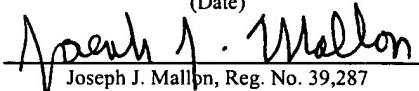
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Applicant(s) : Michael A. Todd
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For : PROCESS FOR DEPOSITION
OF SEMICONDUCTOR FILMS
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Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing in the above-identified application are:

- (X) An Information Disclosure Statement.
- (X) A PTO Form 1449 with seven (7) references.
- (X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. 11-1410.
- (X) Return prepaid postcard.


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Dear Sir:

Enclosed is form PTO-1449 listing seven (7) references that are also enclosed.

This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before the receipt of a first Office Action on the merits, and presumably no fee is required in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b)(3). If a first Office Action on the merits was mailed before the mailing date of this Statement, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p) to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.

Respectfully submitted,

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U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE (IF APPROPRIATE)
1.	5,389,398	02/14/95	Suzuki et al.	427	130	
2.	5,698,771	12/16/97	Shields et al.	73	31.05	
3.	6,228,181	05/08/01	Yamamoto et al.	148	33.5	
4.	6,326,311	12/04/01	Ueda et al.	438	694	
5.	6,455,892	09/24/02	Okuno et al.	257	328	
6.	6,613,695	09/02/03	Pomarede et al.	438	767	

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

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EXAMINER INITIAL	OTHER DOCUMENTS (INCLUDING AUTHOR, TITLE, DATE, PERTINENT PAGES, ETC.)
7.	Ikoma et al., Growth of Si/3C-SiC/Si(100) hetrostructures by pulsed supersonic free jets, Applied Physics Letters, Volume 75, No. 25, Pp. 3977-3979, December 1999

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